

REMARKS

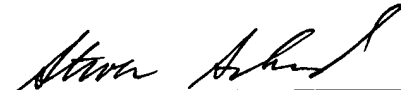
In response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment, Applicants resubmit the claim amendments with the required designations. As directed in the Notice, this Response only addresses the matters found objectionable (i.e., the form of the claim amendments).

It is submitted that all the objections have been overcome. Reconsideration of the application as amended is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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